

LOCAL.

Sheriff Stewart departed Wednesday night for California on official business.

There are good prospects at present for securing a pastor for St. Edwards Catholic church.

The El Paso papers appear to at last, after changing owners several times, settled down to white winged peace. Sunrise Yeast gives best results. Free samples at Leek's.

Nib Jones moved his house from the draw some three miles west to Spencer dam this week, where he has homesteaded 160 acres.

Twelve to fifteen cents per head is the cost of using Pasteur Blackleg or Blacklegine which is Pasteur Vaccine prepared ready for use from Eddy Drug Co.

A caterpillar down the back going in between the shirt collar and neck creates a creeping sensation, but that seems to be about the only place a caterpillar loves to dwell.

The happiest couple in this land of promise is Maynard Sharpe and wife, it is twins—a fine cellar filled with big red apples and a well built cistern ready and waiting for the heavens to open.

The saying: "You scratch my back and I scratch yours," has been parodied in Carlsbad lately by: "You brush the caterpillars off me and I brush them off you." It is more necessary you know.

Walter Cole, for several years one of the big cattlemen of the Seven Rivers country, came back Thursday morning from Ida, Texas, where he has resided for two years on a 2500 acre farm. Walter has some interests here still which he is looking after.

D. W. Gerhart last week butchered a heifer which dressed 675 pounds and will kill several yearlings which have lived on alfalfa since they were weaned. They are very fine and Dave thinks he can supply meat to suit the taste of the most fastidious.

Deputy John Stewart went to Roswell Thursday to bring Chas. Ware back to jail, none of the thieves having been tried at the term of court just closed in Roswell where they were taken on a change of venue from this county. Dan Johnson skipped his bond, and Sam Morrow is out on bond so only one of the four caught near Alamogordo is a prisoner at present.

Mr. H. B. Besing last Wednesday set the monument provided by the Woodmen of the World for their deceased brother Jas. H. Carpenter and the unveiling ceremonies will be held some day in the near future. Mr. Besing performed an excellent piece of work in the setting of the monument which should be seen to be appreciated. The grave is now marked by the finest stone in the whole cemetery.

Mr. P. W. Hunt, of Ft. Worth, Tex., representing the Pasteur Vaccine Co. of Chicago, was in the valley this week introducing this preventative of black leg. The new process consists of running a needle containing several threads, which have been soaked in the preparation, through the under side of the animals' tail, then cutting off the string of threads. A person can vaccinate about 500 per day in this way. Cattle rarely die treated in this manner with the vaccine. Mr. Hunt has arranged with the Eddy Drug Co. to handle the vaccine and John McEwan will tell you all about it if you call, or will furnish pamphlets on application descriptive of the treatment.

After going down 752 feet on Green Vineyard Stock farm the well drillers have abandoned the idea of reaching the much coveted artesian water. About 100 feet of pure salt was penetrated and when the hole was abandoned there seemed to be no end to salt. The driller Mr. Eliza White is on a deal with the citizens and trustees of Carlsbad to sink a well near the Dark Canon wells in hopes of striking an artesian flow. There could be no better use made of a little of the surplus funds of the town than to experiment for water in a location where there is good hopes of securing it. The Green Vineyard location never was endorsed by experts and the Dark Canon site has been.

Haskell Jones father of the eight Jones brothers of Lucky Arroya was in town Tuesday. Mr. Jones came to this country 32 years ago from Denver having emigrated from Virginia to Colorado in 1857. Of his family of nine boys all but one James, were born in the west. Tom who is now about thirty is a native of old Lincoln county and Bruce is the first white child born in what is now Eddy county. Bruce first saw light on the W T ranch near Blue spring some eighteen miles south of town. Mr. Jones, despite his three scores and ten years is hale and hearty and has less gray hair than many men of forty. He has certainly contributed his share in developing and populating this country. Considering that schools and churches were unknown while his family of boys were growing up, he is to be congratulated on having as responsible and reliable a set of young men as he has.

Charley Taylor's Death.

Last Tuesday evening while at a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Teeple, Charley Taylor was stricken, with congestion of the brain and died Thursday morning at 3 o'clock. Charley had not been feeling well for some time but was up and around. He was stricken while at the supper table and fell over forward, going into an unconscious state from which he never revived. The funeral was held from the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Goetz at 2 o'clock, the remains being taken to Grace church where Rector Matthews held the Episcopal services. Charley was twenty-four years of age and a very companionable young man having hosts of friends. He came here five years ago from England with E. McQueen Gray and has been employed at various kinds of labor in farm, dairy and beet sugar industries since.

James Christopher, Fred Buttler and Sam Cornett went up to Cottonwood Spring west of Stegman last week and downed five or six fine antelope.

The saloons in Las Cruces have received Sunday closing orders from Judge Leland, who is temporarily presiding there. As Judge Leland is permanent judge of this district we may look for some such order shortly for this county.

Attention is directed to the new livery advertisement of G. W. McBiles. George is one of the old residents of the town coming here in 1890 and has been engaged in breaking and training horses, moving houses, etc., for years. His many friends will be pleased to know he has engaged in business permanently for himself. He has in his employ that expert stable porter, Mr. James Penson, who is too well known as a careful and courteous assistant to require extended notice.

Mrs. Ada Chambers of Cripple Creek whose husband, Dr. W. G. Chambers, is the medical attendant of some 600 miners in and around Cripple Creek, yesterday purchased the McLenathen home in La Huerta, formerly the Donatino place. Mrs. Chambers is accompanied by her father, Mr. Chamberlain, of Grand Junction, Colo., and infant son. Dr. Chambers found the elevation at Cripple Creek too great for his wife and was therefore compelled to find a lower situation and has selected Carlsbad and La Huerta as his future home. Mr. McLenathen also found that Mrs. McLenathen's health was better at the sea coast and will therefore transfer his home to some coast point but will still hold his business interests here and remain here himself most of the time.

A Dead Fugitive.

Sheriff Bleylock, of Greer county, Texas, passed through Monday morning with the body of Norman Newman, a fugitive from justice whom the sheriff had followed since July 1. Newman murdered his partner in November of last year in Greer county while returning from town where they had sold a load of produce. He escaped from jail where Sheriff Bleylock's son was in charge as jailer. Sheriff Bleylock stated to John Cantrell (who knew him years ago in Fort Worth) that he had been three months on the trail of Newman and had followed him all over the thinly populated country of north Texas and New Mexico, finally locating him near Las Cruces. The sheriff secured the services of Pat Garrett and his deputy, Jose Espalin, and drove from Las Cruces to the ranch of W. W. Cox 25 miles east of Las Cruces.

Garrett and Espalin found Newman in the kitchen washing dishes and undertook to make the arrest. Newman resisted and fought both officers all over the kitchen and out through a French window onto the porch, after being knocked down several times and losing the greater portion of his clothing which, by the way, was the clothing of the man he had murdered. He finally escaped back into the house, both officers hot in pursuit. But his plans to get his gun were cut short when Espalin pulled his six-shooter, firing twice and killing him instantly. The coroner's inquest which was held exonerated the officers from all blame. The body was embalmed and taken by the sheriff back to the scene of the crime who, at an expense of \$400 and about 100 days hard riding and hunting will turn the remains over to clear himself of the blame incident to allowing the prisoner to escape.

E. A. Cunningham of Mogollon is in Raton looking after the interests of his friend, Wm. H. McGinnis, who is now on trial for his life, charged with the murder of Sheriff Ed Farr and H. M. Love, near Cimarron, July 16. Mr. Cunningham says that McGinnis is well known and very popular among the cowboys and miners of the Mogollon district, and that they all chipped in a few dollars each to help pay costs in his defense.—Raton Reporter.

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Ball Game Postponed.

The ball game between the Military Institute team and the Carlsbad Juniors was postponed from today until next Saturday, Oct. 31, when Col. Meadors and staff and the whole military school will visit Carlsbad. The event promises to be one of great importance as the following from Lieut. Martini indicates:

ROSWELL, OCT. 11, 1899.
MY DEAR MULLANE:
We are coming to take your town by storm next Saturday. By "we" I mean our base ball team, the whole corps of cadets, Mr. and Mrs. Meadors, instructors, some people of Roswell, etc. Our special will leave Roswell at 7 a. m., local time and reach Carlsbad about ten o'clock. We expect to give a street parade and a military drill between 10:30 and 11:30 a. m. The baseball game will be played in the afternoon and we will leave Carlsbad some time Saturday night; this will depend on what Carlsbad is able to do to entertain our boys in the evening. The colors of the institute are black and red—adorn yourselves with them.
Yours truly,
L. MARTINI MANSINI.

Mrs. S. E. Laverty received a telegram yesterday announcing the sudden death of her sister, Mrs. Judge Strawn, at Palo Pinto, Texas. Miss Eula Laverty left yesterday to attend the funeral.

Rev. J. D. Hammons departed Thursday evening for his new field of labor, Alpine and Marfa. Rev. Hammons was a very popular pastor and during his short stay here made many friends.

Sunrise Yeast makes the lightest bread. Call at Leek's for free sample.

M. P. Kerr has made a deal whereby he will part with a portion of a valuable copper mine near Alamogordo. A company has been formed to develop and work the property. The mine was purchased at \$15,000 and the owners expect to make it one of the greatest producers in the west.

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McGINNIS CONVICTED.

The Jury Decided That He Killed Sheriff Farr of Colorado.

At Raton Saturday evening the jury after deliberating three hours, found a verdict of guilty in the case of William H. McGinnis, charged with the murder of Sheriff Edward Farr, of Walsenburg, Colo. The testimony of James H. Morgan, one of the posse, was favorable to the defendant. Other members of the posse had testified that at the time of the attempt to arrest the robbers in Turkey canon the defendant McGinnis had a rifle in his hand, and immediately upon being ordered to surrender raised his rifle to his shoulder and fired in the direction of Farr, and that Farr fired simultaneously. Morgan's testimony conflicted with this. He said that at the moment the shots were fired McGinnis had no gun or rifle, and that he fell immediately upon the first fire of the posse. Siguel Lopez testified that Perfecto Cordova had told him after the fight with the robbers that McGinnis had no rifle when first seen by the posse. Cordova swore on the stand that McGinnis did have a rifle in his hand when first discovered.

The defendant then took the stand and said he was in Turkey canon July 16, 1899, in company with two other people, but refused to name them; that he was getting supper about 5:30 in the evening, and had started to a small creek about 50 yards from their camp to get some water carrying a canteen in his hand; that when he got about half way to the creek he heard the report of a gun and felt a pain in his shoulder, as if some one had struck him a heavy blow with a club; that immediately another shot was fired from the direction of Farr, which struck him in the back and brought him to the ground; that he tried to move, but could not; that he laid on the ground several minutes, unable to move; that all the time there was a perfect volley of shots fired in the direction of the camp; that he fainted away and knew nothing more of what took place until about dusk, when he regained consciousness and found one of his companions standing over him, asking him how badly he was hurt.

This man he afterwards admitted to be Franks. He stated that he and Franks then went to where Sam Ketchum had fallen in the rocks some distance away, and there they found Ketchum so badly wounded that he was unable to mount his horse.

After some conversation with Ketchum, Franks and McGinnis decided to leave Ketchum and seek safety in flight. On cross-examination defendant refused to answer many questions asked by the prosecution. All questions relating to his former life, his acquaintance with the "Black Jack" gang, he refused absolutely to reply to, and would only answer relating to the fight in which Farr was killed. When questioned about the train robbery at Folsom he refused to answer. When counsel for the territory attempted to compel McGinnis to answer these questions, McGinnis addressed the court saying:

"If the court please, I am here on trial for murder. I understand there are other charges against me, for train robbery and for murder, I have been put on trial without any chance of procuring many of my witnesses. I have no way to protect myself, and I positively refuse to answer any questions except those asked me concerning this fight, and I will not under any circumstances answer any other questions."—New Mexican.

McGinnis Sentenced for Life.
Deputy Sheriff Hill and two assistants last evening brought W. H. McGinnis, the train robber, and Ramon Chacon from Raton to the penitentiary. McGinnis was convicted of murder in the second degree, at Raton and sentenced to the penitentiary for life. Chacon was found guilty of murder in the third degree and sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary. The deputy sheriffs returned home last evening.—New Mexican.

Hon. Sol Linn, accompanied by his wife and Mrs. Max Luna, returned from San Francisco last night. A week ago last Friday they said good-bye to Lieut. Max, whom they saw last waving farewell from the deck of the transport Columbia, as the good ship steamed out of San Francisco harbor bound for the Philippines.—New Mexican.

Unlucky San Marcial.
The rumor that San Marcial would lose the railway shops, received the official approval of the Santa Fe management Thursday, and before the day was over the work of shipping material to Albuquerque was under way.

A few of the employees are already on the retired list, and from now on until the last of October, the force will be only thirty seven men out of the total 126 will be left to tell the tale of San Marcial's past glory and future gloomy prospects. Six coal cars, one engine, and three engines now on hand will receive the necessary repairs and then the order of dismissal will be in full force, and only a sufficient number of mechanics will remain to attend to emergency repairs.

The work that has been carried on here will in future be done at the Albuquerque shops, and a few of the discharged men may find employment there; but no pledge of this character has been given, so that the 89 discharged men will have to spread out and seek new jobs.

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enough in itself, but the sure thing story of what is to follow—the transfer of the divisional headquarters to Rincon—will give the finishing touches to the town as a commercial center of any importance.

At first glance it looks as if the town has been barely treated by the railway company, particularly as the blow fell almost without warning; but a sensible person will admit the right of the Santa Fe people to manage their business in their own way, and see in this movement only the carrying out of a policy of concentration that is being followed by all the big railway concerns in the country.

Many of the hard-working and industrious mechanics which were let out, own their own homes here, and a few of them have payments falling due thereon. These people will be the greatest sufferers by the change, for property will neither sell nor rent. The business men fully realize the position in which they find themselves, and some have already countermanded large eastern orders for goods.

From any standpoint in which the situation is viewed, no bright lining can be observed in the dark cloud; but before the dawning of the new year the situation will be fully understood by many, and plans laid to hug the advantages of other towns whose future does not entirely depend upon the fluctuating plans of railway corporations.—San Marcial Bee.

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